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PROCESSING SYSTEM

WITH INTERSPERSED PROCESSORS AND COMMUNICATION

ELEMENTS

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 13, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of January 13, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.